

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives regard the birth of a child as one of life's most joyful, rewarding, and miraculous events; and

Whereas, it is with both pride and pleasure that this legislative body pauses to acknowledge the arrival of a very special addition to the citizenry of this great state; and

Whereas, Ryan John Watzlawick entered this world on June 5, 2005, and received a delightful welcome from the smiling faces of his parents, Ryan and Andrea Watzlawick of Blue Springs, Missouri; and

Whereas, tipping the scales at two pounds, twelve ounces, and measuring fourteen and one-half inches long, little Ryan was pronounced the very picture of infant beauty by the professional staff at Overland Park Regional Medical Center; and

Whereas, news of Ryan's birth soon warmed the hearts of other family members, including his maternal grandparents, Frank and Kristie Houcek of Blue Springs; his paternal grandparents, John and Kay Watzlawick of Blue Springs; his maternal great-grandparents, Frank and Marjorie Houcek and Carol J. Detwiler of Blue Springs; and his paternal great-grandparents, Grace Riegle of West Plains and John Watzlawick, Jr., of Hampshire, Illinois; and

Whereas, Ryan Watzlawick will never lack love, support, or encouragement because of these wonderfully devoted relatives who will forever play an important part in the growth and development of this spectacular child in the years to come; and

Whereas, although he is only three months old, Ryan Watzlawick can rest assured that he has been blessed with the best family in the whole wide world:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join in extending a very cordial Show-Me State welcome to Ryan Watzlawick and in offering our heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to his parents, Ryan and Andrea Watzlawick, upon the precious birth of their beautiful baby boy; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the parents of adorable, little Ryan John Watzlawick, as a memento of his early days of Missouri citizenship.

Offered by _____
Representative Bryan Pratt
District No. 55

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. ____, adopted ____, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker